IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Stephen Fife Sheldon	§	Group Art Unit: 2168
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Serial No.: 10/800,493	§	
	§	Examiner: Sanders, Aaron J.
Filing Date: March 15, 2004	§	
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Title: Simple Expression Modification	§	Attorney. Docket No.: 11466
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 23, 2007

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE A REASONABLE BASIS FOR BELIEF THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING SUBMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE VIA EFS (ELECTRONICALLY) ON THE DATE INDICATED BELOW, AND IS ADDRESSED TO:

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DATE OF SUBMISSION: MARCH 23, 2007

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 23, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections set forth in the Office Action. The three-month shortened statutory time for response expires on April 23, 2007; therefore, this Response is timely filed.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.